



THUNDER OFF TO PROVINCIALS — Elk Point Midget Thunder is heading to the Midget Provincials tournament this week. All the best, guys! The Thunder stars (front row, left to right) BJ Tucker, Brad Pankiw, Clayton Cardinal, Jeff Meheyden, Jordan Bassett, Ferlin Quinney; (back, left to right) Manager Brian Tucker, Kristin Holthe, James Yake, Jeff Hughes, Chris Berlinguette, Neil Kozicky, James Babenek, Coach George Bendixen, Rene deMoissac, Derek Cusack, Marty Bendixen, Loren Kozicky, Tyson Hawryluk and Trainer Doug Bassett.

Council addresses local health care concerns

Elk Point Town Council's March meeting centered around the community's ongoing health care needs, with both physician recruitment and ambulance service on the agenda.

Mayor Ed Buck, who presented a brief to the Lakeland Regional Health Authority when that body met recently in St. Paul, told Council that the Physician Recruitment Committee asked the LRHA for assistance in renovating the old nurses' residence, and for assistance in advertising for an additional physician. He indicated that the LRHA will appoint someone to meet with the Town regarding renovations, and is willing to help with advertising.

The former nurses' residence could be turned into housing for an incoming physician, or to accommodate relief physicians when they are in Elk Point, according to Buck, who said the LRHA was glad to see Elk Point taking the initiative to find an additional doctor.

Buck also said that the LRHA has discussed obtaining a doctor who would serve as a locum at the various hospitals in the region on a rotating basis.

The need for another physician to share the load at Elk Point Health Centre is urgent and vital in keeping the facility open, Buck says. "If we lose our hospital, we lose our town."

A letter from the County of St. Paul to the Provincial Ambulance Commission, regarding the regionalization of ambulance service, did not receive an enthusiastic response from Town Council. Rather, they agreed unanimously that they prefer to subsidize the private service instead. Mayor Buck said he didn't see "where [regionalization] would have an advantage for us. I feel we should continue with what we have." Other council members agreed, Councillor Dave Yake expressing fears that "under the province, we would lose all control" of the ambulance service.

Nor does the Town wish to join the other member jurisdictions in setting up a joint reserve for the MD of St. Paul Foundation's

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County plans budget cuts

By Rob Desjardins
Staff Writer

County Council is planning substantial cuts to its 1996-97 budget, Reeve Ray Danyluk told the Journal this week.

"With the reduction of grants and changes to the Secondary Highway

Partnership Program, the County will have to reduce this budget significantly in order not to raise taxes," he said.

Preliminary financial statements presented at Tuesday's County Council meeting

showed a \$684,000 deficit for 1995. However, Danyluk and administrator Bob Krawchuk stressed that the red ink "wasn't due to budgetary mismanagement."

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Car show date set

The date for Elk Point's Happy Daze Car Show has been set for Saturday, May 25 on Main Street, Elk Point.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Merchants' Committee has been called for 6:15 p.m. this evening, March 19, at "In Days of Olde" to work on plans for the popular event.

"Phantom" a sell-out

Elk Point Community Choir's 1996 dinner theatre presentation, "The Phantom of the Op'ry" is already a success, and it isn't even opening night yet. All five performances, two coming up this weekend and three the following week, have been sold out for weeks, and there is a waiting list for any cancellations.

A very fortunate group of seniors from St. Paul and Elk Point heartily enjoyed a sneak preview of "The Phantom" on Sunday, March 17 when they were invited to attend the dress rehearsal, and had an opportunity to meet the cast of the show.

And what a show it is — a mixture of humor and suspense is woven around the Skunk Creek Op'ry House, a rundown and unsuccessful theatre which has been taken over by a determined new purchaser with new ideas about how to make a success of the venture. She has been warned about the acid-tongued theatre critic, but no one has told her about the Phantom who is said to haunt the building....

We won't tell you any more about the story at this point, but we will say that this will truly be an evening you will long remember. Enjoy every minute of this exceptional production!



SENIORS MEET "THE PHANTOM" CAST -- Seniors who attended the dress rehearsal of "The Phantom of the Op'ry" had the opportunity to congratulate the cast on a marvelous show.

Good Luck MIDGET THUNDER



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Council addresses concerns

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future renovations. Council agreed with a motion by Mayor Buck that participating municipalities set aside reserves in their own municipalities for this future need.

More concern was expressed regarding the proposed joining of the FCSS departments of the towns of St. Paul and Elk Point and the County of St. Paul, however Councillors Dave Yake and Louis Verhagen will attend the committee meeting to explore the possibilities. Word has been received from the government stating that FCSS funding will revert to conditional funding in 1997. How to maximize the operation of Elk Point's FCSS department with the funds available was discussed briefly by Council, who know it will be necessary to look carefully at what programs it will be fea-

sible to run.

FCSS will not be the only department to endure belt tightening. Other cost-cutting measures were discussed for the Public Works department, with \$3500 for Carbit grader blades removed from the budget and replaced by \$1000 to hire a grader equipped with these, and \$7500 for a sewer camera replaced with \$1500 to hire this work done.

Good news for many of the rural members of the Elk Point Municipal Library was received from the County of St. Paul, who sent official notice that they will be giving the library an amount from which to pay County residents' Northern Lights Library System fees, in addition to the usual library grant. This means that the County residents will pay the same library membership fee as Town residents.

County plans budget cuts

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For instance, they said, it's important to remember that the highway partnership program was changed in 1994. Now, municipalities have to pay 25 per cent of the costs of building secondary highways, which used to be funded 100 per cent by the province.

"Last year, we built Highway 866," Danyluk said. "They're giving us a 75 per cent credit, but we still had to pay the costs out first."

That means nearly 80 per cent of the deficit — some \$507,000 — is the province's share of the project. It's a credit to the County, which will enable it to proceed with projects already approved for 1996.

But while the '95 figure is largely a "paper deficit," Danyluk said, it doesn't change the fact that serious cuts will have to be made.

"We've been brought to a budget realignment...and it

will involve some tough choices," he said.

"Earlier budgets have been on construction and maintenance. Now our major focus will be on maintenance. Capital replacement will be at a minimum."

Full details on the 1995 financial statements and the County's 1996 budget will be available at the County's annual general meeting, scheduled for April 9 at the County office.

The Town of

ELK POINT Notices & Information



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Permit #	Location	Developer	Development	Decision
96-03	L. 11, Blk. 27 Pln. 3977NY	D. & B. Lubinski	Construction of New Residence	11/03/96

Any person claiming to be affected by the decision made by the Development Officer / Municipal Planning Commission may appeal by writing a NOTICE OF APPEAL to the Secretary of the Development Appeal Board, Box 448, Elk Point, Alberta within 14 days from the first publication of this notice giving reasons for the appeal. Such appeal shall be accompanied by a certified cheque or money order in the amount of thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars.

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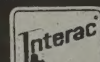
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FCSS News

Strong families communicate - keys to better communication

In every family, conflict is bound to come up at times. Here are some ideas for making arguments constructive rather than destructive.

1. Don't "cover up" grievances. If something is bothering you, mention it. Concentrate on your own feelings, not what the other person "should" do or "should" know.

2. Keep your grievances "on point." This means your arguments should be up-to-date, not on happenings of last week, last month, or what was said last year. Be specific about what is troubling you (not a whole barrage of things). This is important for good communication.

3. Be selective about the timing when you have something important to communicate. Is the best time after a meal, in the evening, at a family council meeting? When are you most apt to get your point across and have family members receptive? Choose a time when both

people are responsive (not when you are tired or hungry) and when you are most apt to be fair and still determined to be heard.

4. Limit the length of the discussion or argument. You might say, "I have something important to say to you. Can we take 10 minutes to talk about it?" Family members may resist listening if the discussion goes on and on.

5. There may be important feelings beneath the surface that need to be expressed rather than arguing over something more trivial. Ask yourself, "Is this what's really upsetting me?"

6. Anger is a legitimate part of personality. It needs to be expressed but it also needs direction and some curbing to bring about healthy change. Expression of honest anger is helpful but blaming the other person for how you are feeling is not. Violence is never acceptable.

7. Avoid put-downs of the other person. Comments like "If it weren't for you" or "You never..." or "You always..." are not helpful. In fact, they invite the other person to retaliate with put-downs of you.

8. In a marriage, good communication implies some readiness in each of the partners to yield one's self interest when it clashes with that of the other. Compromise is often the answer.

COMMUNITY AND VOLUNTEER DIRECTORIES

The Community Directory lists frequently called numbers, meeting dates of local clubs, as well as a brief description of the mandates of community organizations. The Community Leaders Inventory lists local individuals and agencies with expertise in a given area. It outlines the many skilled and knowledgeable individuals in our area that we can call upon as resources. The Volunteer Directory provides a description of local organizations that utilize volunteers. This is followed by specific volunteer information and opportunities. FCSS has completed the 1996 update. Copies are available upon request.

NEED A HAND WITH YOUR TAXES?

For one reason or another, you may not be able to fill out your tax return. Not to worry. Community volunteers have teamed up with Revenue

Canada to help. This service available in Elk Point and area and it's free! If you need a hand, find out how you can benefit from the volunteer program. Just call FCSS at 724-3800.

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A comprehensive three year business plan for the Lakeland Regional Health Authority has been tabled in the Alberta Legislature.

The plan, which covers the fiscal years '96/'97, '97/'98, and '98/'99, provides direction for the Lakeland Regional Health Authority's future. It also helps establish priorities, allocate resources and assist in decision making related to delivering services. This plan sets the framework for the development and support of our Region's health system.

Copies of the plan, together with appendices, are available for review at your local library.

If you have any questions or comments, please call us at:

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View Points

Proclamation

The International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination - March 21

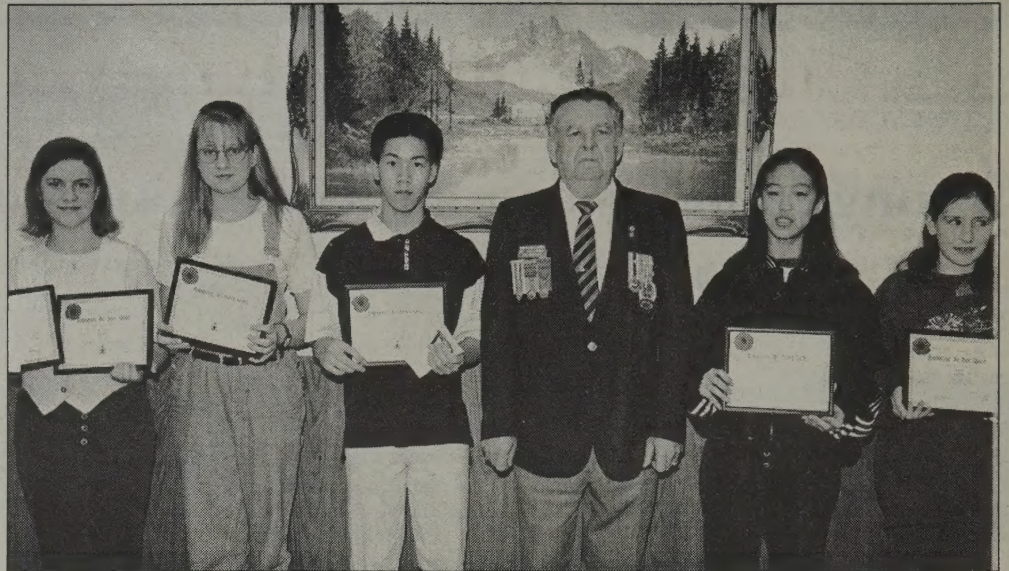
WHEREAS the Municipality of Elk Point is committed to the belief that equal opportunity and treatment should exist for all people;

WHEREAS every resident of Elk Point has the right to realize his or her potential, regardless of race, color, national or ethnic origin, and live at all times in conditions of dignity, respect and peace;

WHEREAS the General Assembly of the United Nations has designated March 21 as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination;

AND WHEREAS the elimination of racism and racial discrimination can be accomplished through understanding and respect for the dignity of all people, and is the social and moral responsibility of each person;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Ed Buck, Mayor of Elk Point, hereby proclaim March 21 as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination in the Town of Elk Point.



LEGION ZONE AWARDS in the poster, poetry and essay contest were presented recently by Zone Commander Ralph Lundahl to Leanne Wilson, 1st, Junior Poster, Black and White and 1st, Junior Essay; Romy Rohner, 1st, Junior Poster, Colored; Len Hoac, 2nd, Intermediate Poster, Black and White; Bomee Lee, 1st, Intermediate Poster, Colored; and Bronwyn Bilak, 2nd, Junior Poem.



SOMEBODY HAD TO BE LAST — at the recent Floor Curling Bonspiel, and the little striped fellows went to a local rink, (front, left to right) Hazel Hannah, Margaret Modin, Helga Vaughan and (not shown) Caroline Shankowski. The rink which came the farthest to take part, from Craighend, received commemorative plates (back row, left to right): John Yakoweshyn, Lil Lewiski, Mary Yakoweshyn and Bill Lewiski.

Dollar Sen\$e

Buying options — many ways to pay

By Avco Financial Services

People have many choices in how to shop and pay for a product: sometimes the options seem too good to be true or too many and confusing. You can pay by cash, cheque, credit card, store card, or by taking advantage of a deferred payment program.

There are many different payment programs out there. At first glance, they appear to be all the same, but there are important differences. There are three main credit plans:

1. "No payment" plans

The typical "no payment" plan is advertised as interest-free until your first payment is due, usually in six months or a year. Payment is due on an established date, and you'll either need to pay off the entire purchase amount or start paying in installments. Often, these plans will be rolled over into a regular revolving credit plan if you are unable to make the payment.

Make sure the interest-free period is guaranteed even if you are late with your first payment. Some credit plans will charge you interest that

goes all the way back to the date you made the original purchase. That can add up to a hefty interest charge you weren't expecting on your "interest-free" purchase.

2. Revolving credit plans

These plans work like your VISA or MasterCard credit cards. You have to make a minimum payment that is due by a specific date every month.

3. Special plans

With some of these plans, you have to make a fixed monthly payment for a specified period of time. Each monthly payment will include the interest charge. Other plans may allow you a certain number of interest-free payments before interest is charged.

Nicole Boucher, Branch Manager, Avco Financial Services says "Some stores charge you administrative fees

to cover their costs. So, watch out for credit plans with hidden charges, penalties and fees." Boucher adds, "Ask for a list of administrative charges before you apply for the plan. Some stores will charge you a processing fee just to open an account. Other plans have annual fees, late payment penalties and charges to roll over a "no payment" plan into a regular revolving charge plan."

Many people prefer to use one of these three credit plans. When you need your purchase right away, it defers your payments and allows you time to save for your purchase and pay the balance at a future date. Special plans allow you to spread your repayment over a period of time rather than coming up with the money all at once.

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Community Calendar

Wondering what's happening in Elk Point and district in the coming weeks? Here is a brief rundown of some of the events scheduled.

March 22, 23, 28, 29, 30: "Phantom of the Opry" Dinner Theatre

Fri. March 22: Skating Club Ice Carnival

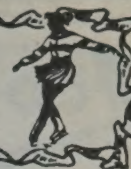
Sat. March 23: Bull Chutin' Classic, Fairgrounds Arena

Tues. March 26: Magic Bus, 7 p.m., F. G. Miller

Sun. March 31: Hypnotist Wayne Lee at F. G. Miller High School, 3 p.m.

If you would like to add you event to the listing, which is published when space permits, please call the Review at 724-4087 before 5 p.m. Thursday.

Elk Point Skating Club presents their **ANNUAL CARNIVAL "AROUND THE WORLD IN 90 MINUTES"**
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St. Paul, Elk Point 4-Hers win at district speakoff

Speakers from the St. Paul and Elk Point 4-H Multi Clubs and St. Paul Light Horse Club took top honors at the St. Paul District 4-H Public Speaking Competition which was hosted by the Elk Point Saddle Slickers last Saturday.

Irene Chamberland, St. Paul Multi Club, won first place in the Senior division with her impassioned plea, "Don't Forget The Children," coupled with an impromptu speech telling "I Love My Family Because..." winning her the Servus Credit Union trophy and a \$100 cheque. Robyn Danyluk of Elk Point Multi Club was second, winning the St. Paul District 4-H Council award for her prepared speech on "Child Labor" and an impromptu on "How To Land Your First Job."

Another Elk Point Multi Club speaker, Monica Naber, won the Junior division with an informative speech on "Eyes" and a humorous

impromptu on "Pigs." She was also presented with a trophy from Servus Credit Union and a \$100 cheque. Amber Ferris of the St. Paul Light Horse Club was second in the Juniors, with a verbal trip "Down Memory Lane" and an impromptu describing a craft project she had made, for the Elk Point Saddle Slickers trophy.

Other speakers taking part

in the afternoon were Lyle Neumann, St. Paul Multi Club, Yvette Ouellette and Bobby-Lee Dyck, St. Lina Beef Club, Clark Ambler and Daniel Brundich, Goodridge Beef Club, Lisa Belland, St. Paul Light Horse Club, and Joan Wheat, Elk Point Saddle Slickers.

Senior speakers were judged by Edith Zawadiuk, Laverne

Wilson and Ray Makowecki, while Debbie Sumida, Joyce Nesimiuk and Nathan Carter judged the juniors. Timers were Hughie Krucik and Vicki

Brooker, while Joanne Fontaine and Marnie Smith served as tellers. Mistress of ceremonies was St. Paul Light Horse Club president Amanda Ferris.



TOP SPEAKERS HONORED — Left to right: Robyn Danyluk, 2nd, senior; Irene Chamberland, 1st, senior; Joe Bachelet, Servus Credit Union; Monica Naber, 1st junior; Amanda Ferris, MC; Amber Ferris, 2nd junior; and Deanna Wittmack, Elk Point Saddle Slickers.

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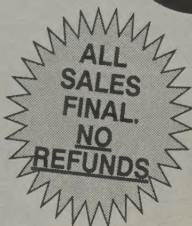
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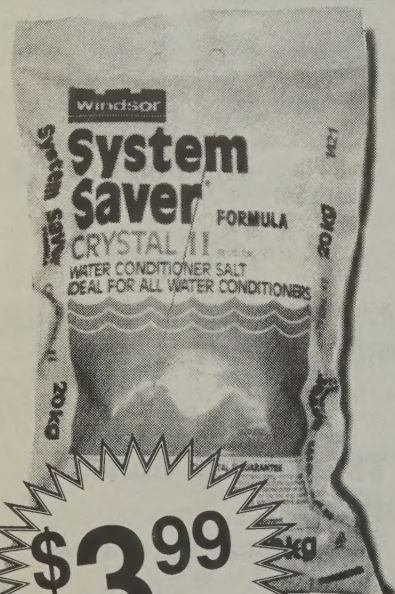
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John Kaplan and his Magic Bus coming to Elk Point

Canada's outstanding illusionist, John Kaplan, is bringing his acclaimed "Magic Bus" show to Elk Point on March 26.

Kaplan, who enjoyed great success on his first visit to Elk Point in 1994, makes you believe in a world of fantasy through his original blend of magic and comedy, with contemporary music, dance and special effects creating a must-

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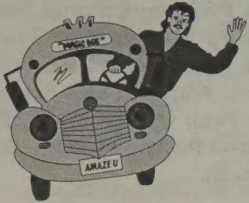
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Over the years, Kaplan and his "Magic Bus" show have been across Canada and around the world, been on numerous television programs, and performed aboard luxury cruise ships. He has opened concerts for comedians and rock groups,

and was featured at Expo '86. He has made a full size automobile disappear in front of a live audience, and has made the Labatt curling tankard and nine competing curling teams appear. He wrote, directed and starred in "Johnny's House," a comedy-horror illusion show

which enjoyed an extended run in Vancouver.

John Kaplan's Magic Bus Show is being sponsored by the Elk Point and District Lioness Club. It will be held at F. G. Miller High School at 7 p.m. on March 26. For tickets, contact any Lioness member.



Frances performs in Elk Point

By Fiona Daniels
Heinsburg student journalist

On Saturday, March 9, two students from Heinsburg and their band performed at the Youth Talent Quest in Elk Point.

About three days a week, the sound of the band "Frances" practicing can be heard coming from Terry Dion's basement. That's where the young and talented band plays the music of groups such as Pearl Jam, Alice in Chains and Silverchair, who influence them the most.

The members of Frances are Terry and Alex Dion, who attend Grade 12 at Heinsburg School, as well as Blake Quinney and Clifton Cross, who are also in Grade 12, but at Frog Lake School. The guys started the band about three years ago, after they taught themselves to play instruments. The lead singer of the group, Alex Dion, commented that "the band is great, and it's a big boost to my pride when the crowd likes us."

Over the past three years, the band has gone through a lot of names, but decided on "Frances" because it is the name of Kurt Cobain's daughter, Kurt being a musician that the band respects and would like to remember.

Since "Frances" started playing together, they mostly have been performing in Frog Lake School and Heinsburg School, as well as some competitions, but they hope to star playing in clubs whenever they can. This band will surely be successful.

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Colts gallop to Girls' gold

By Brian Tucker

On March 8, 1996 the Dewberry Colts Girls Midget hockey team travelled to Irma for the Provincial Championship tournament. On Saturday, the girls started fast, demolishing St. Albert 8 to 2 in the first game of round robin play. Lisa Bensmiller led the way with four goals, Danelle Varty and Mellissa Cusack had two each, with Megan Tucker and Jackie Butz rounding out the scoring with one each.

Two hours later the girls were back on the ice to face their arch-rivals from Irma. Dewberry dominated play in the first two periods but only led 3-2 at the second intermission. The girls stormed out in the third, outscoring Irma 4-1 to win 7 - 3. Again Lisa

Bensmiller proved her leadership of the team by scoring three goals, Erin Krywiak added two while Mellissa Cusack and Katherine Rudolf had one each.

Sunday morning, Dewberry played Hanna in the first semi-final game. The girls beat Hanna soundly in league play but found that they faced a tougher, more determined team this time. Dewberry kept the play in Hanna's end for the first 7 minutes of the 15 minute period before giving up a breakaway and Hanna scored on their first shot of the period. Lisa Bensmiller scored late in the first to tie the game. Early in the second period, Hanna again scored on a breakaway to lead 2-1 but later that period Katherine Rudolf scored to even the score. Finally, midway

through the third period, Lisa Bensmiller scored the winning goal. Dewberry was now into the finals.

The final game between the Dewberry Colts and the Sherwood Park Whalers again saw Dewberry dominate territorially but Sherwood Park bounced a shot off the post and the back of goaltender Angela Hatfield's leg and in, to lead 1-0. Danelle Varty tied it up, then Sherwood Park scored again. Katherine Rudolf's goal early in the second again tied the score. Sherwood Park scored while Dewberry was two players short. Danelle Varty scored in close to tie the game one more time. Mellissa Cusack scored the game winner early in the third and Danelle Varty finished the scoring with her third later in the period.



THE 1995-96 DEWBERRY COLTS are Lisa Bensmiller, Jackie Butz, Mellissa Cusack, Krystal Isert, Nicole Burns and Cherene Cusack of Dewberry, Erin Krywiak and Katherine Rudolf of Myrnam, Pam Drinkwater and Monica Dary of Mannville, Angela Hatfield from Medley, along with three affiliated players, Penny Quinney and Megan Tucker from the Elk Point Pee Wee Blades and Danelle Varty from the Provost Midget team (boys). Coaches are Buddy Bensmiller and Dorcey Butz.



MINI INSTANT RANCHER WINNER — Lena Ostapovich of Owlseye was the big winner in Elk Point Agricultural Society Livestock and Fairgrounds Division's Mini Instant Rancher Raffle. She opted to take the cash, and accepted her \$13,200 cheque last week from Leigh Babcock. Winners of the draws for \$150 each were Lucille Aitken, St. Paul; Christine McMillan, Ashmont; Lyle Feduk, Bonnyville, and the trio of Marie Bintz, Christine McMillan and Karen Goheen.

Further Ed gets set for springtime

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AGENDA

- ◆ Results of NE Cow/Calf Cost of Production Study. Terry Holmgren & Harry Brook, Beef Specialists, Alta. Ag., St. Paul & Wainwright
- ◆ Beef Market Outlook. Anne Dunford, CANFAX Market Info. Services, Calgary
- ◆ A Packers Perspective! Brent Altwasser, IBP, Brooks
- ◆ Surviving the Crunch - A Feedlot Perspective! (Feedlots & Ethanol). Brad Wildman, Manager Poundmaker Feedlot, Lanigan, SK.
- ◆ Lowering Cow/Calf Cost of Production. Producer Panel.

To register contact The County of St. Paul No. 19 Office, Dennis Bergheim, Ag. Fieldman or Larry Lamothe, Asst. Ag. Fieldman at 645-3301 or the Alberta Ag., Food and Rural Dev. Office, Terry Holmgren, Beef Specialist at 645-6301.

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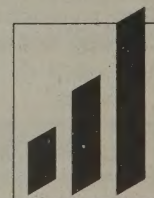
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Hey, kids — new titles for your Easter Break reading

By Michele Duczek
Librarian

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Twelve year old Larkin returns home one day to find a baby abandoned in her driveway. Larkin and her family take in the child and grow to love her, all the while knowing that one day the baby's mother will return to claim her in *Baby by Patricia MacLachlan*.

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Jamboree fun at Armistice

By Faye Smith

A large and enthusiastic crowd was on hand to listen to the music at Armistice Hall on Saturday, March 9. There were singers, fiddle players, guitar pickers and a harmonica to entertain us.

A group consisting of Arnie Price, August and Archie Collins, Roxanne Bergheim, Homer Poitras and Bernadette Godlein played backup to all who came to sing and play. These entertainers included

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Following the entertainment there was a dance, provided by the same group of musicians..

Door prizes were won by Vern Benner, Charles Jenkins and Helen Peterson. Jerry Ahern and Archie Collins won the 50-50 draws, while Faye

Smith won a lamp draw. The money raised from the night's entertainment went to the Elk Point Golf and Country Club.

Campaign a success

Hazel Hannah, coordinator of the Heart and Stroke Foundation's annual campaign in Elk Point, reports another successful year, with 18 canvassers in the town and industrial area bringing in a total of \$2340 in donations. Sincere thanks to all the canvassers for their efforts and to all the donors for their generosity.

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7 ENTERTAINMENT & EVENTS

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8 FEED & SEED

CERTIFIED #1 - Waldern Oats, certified #1 Manley barley, all high germination. Phone 645-5559. Mar26

SEED FOR SALE - Seed wheat - 99% germ.; seed barley - 90% germ.; seed oats - 95% germ.; Argentine seed canola - 98% germ. Ph. Denis 657-2296. Apr3

HAY AUCTION, Sat., Mar. 23, 11 a.m. at Highwood Livestock Auction, High River, AB. Hay, straw, silage listed to date. Call for details on quantities and locations. Accepting consignments now. Book early. Call 403-652-3343 for more details. 1-12

9 FOR RENT

FOR RENT - 2 bedroom house with garage in Elk Point. Phone 724-2394. Mar19

FOR RENT - Three bedroom mobile home on acreage, 14 miles from St. Paul, near Lafond. Nice big yard, garden plot, \$350/month. Phone 645-6929. Mar19

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10 FOR SALE

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13 LIVESTOCK

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13 LIVESTOCK

GOOD SELECTION OF - Limousin Bulls, 2-year-old and yearlings, full-blood and polled; also hay wanted. Phone 939-2173 (Morinville). Apr9

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87TH ANNUAL Lacombe Bull Sale, Mon., Apr. 8 and Tues., Apr. 9. For more information call: Peter Grant, Secretary, Central Alberta Agricultural Society, 403-782-1111. 3-14

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15 MACHINERY

FOR SALE - Air seeder, 32-ft. Bourgault, good condition. Quit grain farming. Will take offers. Phone 365-2419 (Shandro Bridge). Mar26

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18 PERSONAL

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21 RECREATIONAL

FOR SALE - 1983 Motorhome Citation 19-ft. in very good condition. 3-way fridge, stove, bathroom/shower, awning, extra storage, mileage - 79,214 km. Call 635-2505. Mar26

MOTORHOME - 1985 Vanguard 23-ft. Class C, 62,000 km, rear bed, c/w storage pod, awning, tilt, cruise, am/fm stereo, \$20,000. 645-3454 after 6 p.m. Mar26

Thunder prepares for Provincials

With the regular season for the Thunder wrapped up, they now have the job of preparing for Provincials on March 22, 23 and 24 in Vauxhall. The past two weeks the Thunder played three exhibition games, winning a physical game against Pierceland 11-4, then losing to their arch-rivals, Kitscoty, 7-3 and defeating Mallaig 7-6 in their last game before the Provincial tournament.

Now let's meet the Thunder!
JAMES BABENEK — "The Chief" is a first year midget, 165 lbs and 5'10". Playing on the left wing, James is a good forechecker with a distinctive skating style. James can really get under the other team's skin when called upon.

JORDAN BASSETT — Thunder's youngest player, Jordy, a first year Bantam player, is big on body checks and working the corners. At 165 lbs and 5'9", right winger Jordan is as solid as a brick wall, as many players have found out. A fast skater and one of the team's best backcheckers.

MARTY BENDIXEN — The "Workhorse" is a versatile player who plays right wing, but drops back on defence when needed. A first year midget, 6' tall and 160 lbs., Marty is one of the best on power play and killing penalties. Marty's known for his hard slap

shot, and leads the team in points this year.

CHRIS BERLINGUETTE — Right winger "Gomer" is probably the fastest skater on the team. Excellent on penalty killing, this second year player is 5'11" and 160 lbs. Chris has a hard shot that has fooled many goalies this year when he pulls the trigger.

CLAYTON CARDINAL — New to the Elk Point system this year, Clayton is a tall skinny second year player and a very good stick handler. Clayton, who is 6' and 145 lbs. has a good shot and can pick the corners. Playing centre ice he also swings onto defence when needed.

DEREK CUSACK — Big Derek's knee was injured in the last game of the playoffs. His physical style will really be missed by his team in Vauxhall. One of the toughest in front of the net, this first year player is 6'1" and 153 lbs. Derek plays as well on forward as on defence and can score goals.

RENE DEMOISSAC — "Gazoo" is a second year player who is only 5'5" and 125 lbs, but has one of the biggest hearts on the team. Always giving 100% effort, Gazoo plays right or left wing. Skating hard as a forechecker, he is also a great penalty killer.

KRISTEN HOLTHE — Team captain Kristen leads the team on the ice and in the dressing room. Playing defence this second year player is 5'11" and 172 lbs.. An excellent skater, Kristen plays forward on the powerplay and has scored many goals with his slap shot from the slot.

TYSON HAWRYLUK — Known as the "Mallet" for good reason, some of his hits should be on Don Cherry's "Rock'em Sock'em." Playing defence, this first year player is 5'11" and 175 lbs. Tyson can release a puck faster than anyone when under pressure.

JEFF HUGHES — The veteran second year player, also known as "Lumpy," Jeff plays a solid defence. Jeff, who is 5'10" and 165 lbs., is a good skater who can pack the puck with a good hard shot.

LOREN KOZICKY — This big left winger also plays centre. "Cement" is a first year player, 6' and 165 lbs., Loren has good hands and is hard to move from in front of the net. Missing six weeks when he broke his ankle in early December, Loren is right back where he left off, filling the net with the puck.

NEIL KOZICKY — The big stay-at-home defenceman is a first year player who is 6' and 178 lbs. This unsung hero is always steady on the point and never wanders too far, but will pack the puck when the opportunity exists.

GEOFF MEHEYDEN — "The Brick" is a veteran goaltender who had provincial experience when the Thunder made it to the semi-finals last year in Provost. Geoff is 5'10" and 150 lbs. and is good with his stick, always clearing the puck well into the corners. A real leader, he can often be heard encouraging his team on the ice or on the bench.

BRAD PANKIW — This Bantam aged centreman is 5'7" tall and 160 lbs. A talented player with good speed, moves and excellent anticipation for the puck. Stealing the puck off the other team players, he is always dangerous in front of the net.

B.J. TUCKER — Playing in the final game of last year's Provincials gave B.J. the experience needed to win the gold. This first year midget is 5'10" and 150 lbs with a good glove hand and fast reflexes.

FERLIN QUINNEY — "P-Joe" is the best at setting up his teammates. This first year player who is 5'9" and only 130 lbs. can skate like no other player, sometimes jumping as high as Kurt Browning to get around players. Almost impossible to check with his moves, Ferlin plays centre on the power play and also kills penalties.

JAMES YAKE — "Yake the Snake" joined Thunder on January 10, the deadline for signing. With his size at 5'10" and 182 lbs. he is impossible to move from in front of the net. The policeman is always around when trouble starts on the ice and always lots of fun in the dressing room.

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21 RECREATIONAL

1994 INDY 500 - EFI, short track, skins, handle bar and thumb warmers, 3800 miles. Asking \$4,000 obo. Phone 635-4175 evenings. Mar19

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22 SERVICES

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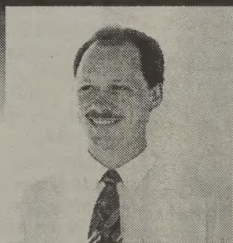
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